

**ARTS FOUNDATION
OF CAPE COD**

Our vision is a Cape Cod where arts and culture fuel innovation, economic growth, and community.

Our Mission

The Arts Foundation of Cape Cod is committed to strengthening, promoting, and celebrating Cape Cod's arts and cultural industry in order to sustain a vibrant, diverse and strong arts community.

Who We Serve

We serve individual artists, cultural centers, fine and performing arts groups and businesses, and cultural and historical organizations such as museums and historical societies.

What We Do

We fund artistic and cultural initiatives that reflect the vitality, diversity and history of the arts on Cape Cod.

We advocate at the local, state, and national levels for more awareness on the impact the Cape's creative economy has on our region and beyond.

We improve and increase the Cape's reputation for arts and culture by building a strong arts network that benefits from sharing information and resources, creating a unified presence in the marketplace.

**CAPE COD'S CREATIVE ECONOMY
A MEASURABLE IMPACT**

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| <p>5,746 Jobs 35% above national average</p> | <p>+ 4.8% job growth by 2018 +3.9% above national average</p> | <p>35-54 Average age working in the Creative Economy</p> |
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Based on a 2015 report provided by the Workforce Investment Board for Barnstable County

WE FUND

GRANTS

FUNDING CREATIVITY AND INNOVATION

The AFCC's Grant Program provides cash awards to support artistic and cultural initiatives that reflect the vitality, diversity, and history of the arts on Cape Cod.

In an effort to increase our financial contributions to the local arts community, we are stepping up our fundraising activities through increased yearly giving, major gifts, and grants. We want to distribute larger grants that make a bigger impact.

FELLOWSHIPS

EMPOWERING ARTISTS

Created in 2015, the AFCC Fellowship Program was established to empower emerging artists across all disciplines at critical stages in their creative lives and professional development. We award three fellowships in the following disciplines: VISUAL ARTS, PERFORMANCE ARTS and WRITTEN WORD

SCHOLARSHIPS

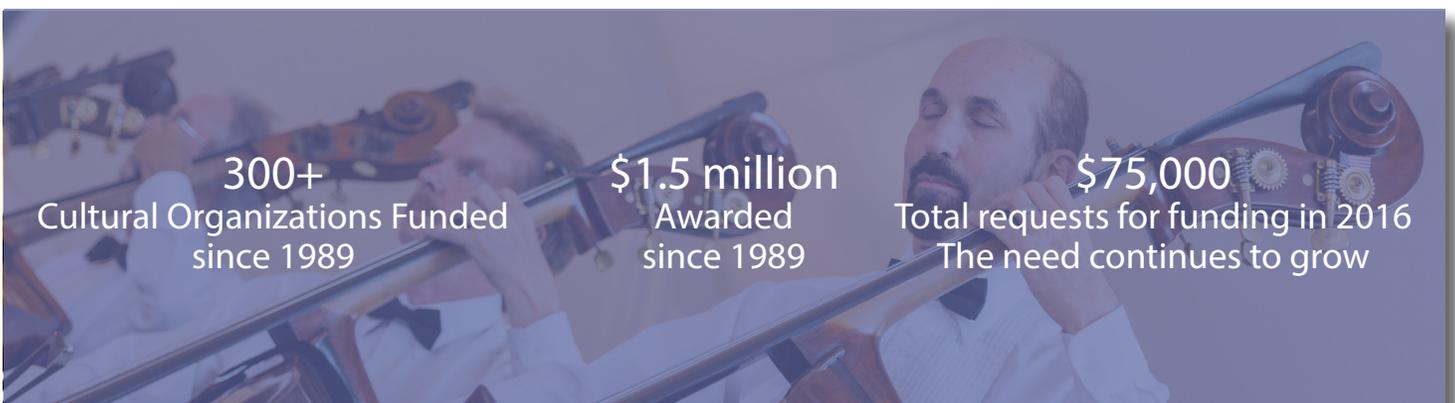
SUPPORTING STUDENTS

Each year the AFCC, in partnership with the Cooperative Bank of Cape Cod, offers scholarship opportunities to graduating high school seniors who are pursuing higher education in such artistic fields as music, dance, drama, visual arts, fashion design and creative writing. Selections are made based on the quality of the submissions, excellence of the work, and academic achievement.



\$5,500 in fellowships since 2015
\$25,000 in scholarships since 2012

2016 AFCC Fellow Jackie Reeves. (Photo credit: Susan Karchmer)



300+

Cultural Organizations Funded
since 1989

\$1.5 million

Awarded
since 1989

\$75,000

Total requests for funding in 2016
The need continues to grow

Create the Vote Cape Cod 2016

#ARTSMATTERDAY

15

Coalition members

4

Sit-down meetings with candidates for Senate

2

Platform-building meetings with Senate candidate

2

Senate debates

WE ADVOCATE

ENGAGING LEGISLATORS and COMMUNITY



In 2016, the AFCC and Cape Cod Young Professionals co-hosted a Senate debate with Julian Cyr and Tony Schiavi.

WE CELEBRATE

In 2016 the TD Summer Concert Series

132

local musicians entertained at...

32

concerts in...

8

outdoor Cape Cod venues with nearly...

4,000

attendees raising...

\$4,810

for grants and scholarships for local students and artists



Citizens Bank Pops by the Sea

31 years

providing world class music for all

8,000 guests

1,500 tickets

donated to 30 health and human service agencies





WE SUPPORT

MEMBERSHIP

The AFCC membership program is designed to support individual artists, cultural centers, fine and performing arts groups and business, and cultural and historical establishments such as museums and historical societies.

ARTSCAPECOD.ORG

ArtsCapeCod.org is a website developed and maintained by the AFCC to support the creative economy and market and promote the estimated 3,000 arts and cultural events that are produced annually on Cape Cod.



WINTER ART~ MEMBER EXHIBIT

This program supports professional, accomplished artists who are living, working, teaching, and creating art on Cape Cod. The program is free and includes educational programming which connects local artists with school children.



CREATIVE EXCHANGE CONFERENCE

The Exchange creates opportunities for attendees to connect with each other, be inspired, and exchange ideas related to the creative economy.



AFCC MEMBERSHIP

400
Members

\$30
Membership for individuals

Quarterly
professional development
workshops

Yearly
Creative Exchange conference

ARTSCAPECOD.ORG

2,156
Events listed each year

1,639
Users

553
Artist profiles listed

95%
of our members
use ArtsCapeCod.org

WINTER ART EXHIBITION

60
Cape Cod artists
exhibited their work

800
Local school children engaged

2,000
Individuals and families
visited



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